GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1241
ANSWERED ON:02.03.2000
TRAIN ACCIDENT AT KOUCHEGUDA
UMMAREDDY VENKATESWARLU

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of people were injured by a running train at Koucheguda Railway Station on February 7, 2000;

(b) if so,the details thereof and the assistance provided to the injured;

(c) whether any inquiry has been conducted in this regard; and

(d) if so, the outcome thereof and action taken thereon?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways
(SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH)

a) & (b) Yes, Sir. On 6.2.2000, 12 persons were hit and injured by a suburban train at Kacheguda railway station when they were crossing the railway track from platform no. 1 to platform no.3. Out of the 12 persons injured, one person died on the spot and 3 others succumbed to the injuries in the hospital. Railway doctors attended on the injured, rendered first aid and shifted them to the Osmania Government Hospital Hyderabad.All possible help and assistance was given to the injured and family members who were accompanying them. The General Manager of South Central Railway himself visited the Hospital to ensure adequate care and attention to the injured. Railway doctors are visiting the hospital daily and monitoring the condition of two persons who are still undergoing treatment

(c) & (d) Yes, Sir. A Committee of Railway officials conducted an inquiry into the incident and concluded that the incident occurred on account of trespass on the railway track by the victims.